

Wing Fact Sheet 301st Fighter Wing U.S. Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base Fort Worth, Texas



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<u>MAJCOM/LOCATION/SIZE</u>: Air Force Reserve Command unit located on a U.S. Navy owned joint reserve base installation in Fort Worth, Texas consisting of 2,300 acres.

MAJOR UNIT/FORCE STRUCTURE:

- 301st Fighter Wing
- Active Associate -- 24th Fighter Squadron,
 495th Fighter Group, located with the 301 FW
- Classic Associate -- 44th Fighter Group, flies F-22 Raptors/T-38 Talons, located with the 325th Fighter Wing, Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla. (Displaced to Eglin AFB after Hurricane Michael)

USAF Manpower Assigned			
Total Govt Forces	2247		
Military	1740		
Active	177		
Reserve	1563		
Civilian	507		

Weapon Systems (If applicable)

F-16C/D Fighting Falcon

INFRASTRUCTURE SUMMARY: It is the only Air Force Reserve (AFRC) F-16 unit in the State of Texas. The mission of the 301st Fighter Wing is to train and deploy combat-ready Airmen.

Runway	Width	Length	Material
18/36	200	12000	Concrete/Asphalt

Installation Site Picture		
Total Apron Space	443,165	
Runways	2,400,000	
Taxiways	649,998	
Building Sq Footage	722,317	

INSTALLATION INFORMATION:

- U.S. NAS JRB Fort Worth, Texas was officially established on October 1, 1994, as the first-ever joint service reserve base. The 2,300-acre base is the result of the DoD's 1993 BRAC recommendation to relocate Naval Air Station Dallas and its tenant commands to the former Carswell Air Force Base. Additional tenant commands from other closing installations were also directed to relocate to the base, such as U.S. Marine Corps Reserve squadrons from Memphis, Tenn., and Glenview, Ill., in July/August 1994. The 1993 BRAC proceedings also placed the Navy as the host of what has become a new joint military reserve base a model for future consolidations.
- Major NEPA Actions: The 301 FW completed the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), public
 hearing, and Site Activation Task Force (SATAF) IV for the potential beddown of F-35A aircraft at U.S.
 NAS JRB Fort Worth, Texas. The wing was identified as the preferred location in January 2017 to
 receive the aircraft.
- Selection for AFRC's F-35A: On January 8, 2021, (then) Secretary of the Air Force (SECAF) Barbara Barrett announced her record of decision (ROD) selecting the 301st Fighter Wing to become the first F-35A (5th generation aircraft) owned and operated unit in Air Force Reserve Command. The wing is expected to receive its first F-35A aircraft in Summer 2024, replacing their current compliment of F-16C Fighting Falcons.

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